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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 14, '97.
Thos. Whiffen, a comedian of note, is dead.
Hon. J. L. Tarte was given a reception at Montreal.
Mrs. Langtry's horse, "Merman," won the Czarowitch.
Winnipeg will submit a \$700,000 water works by-law.

General rain fall is reported in the Western States.
An Irish independent league has been convened at Dublin.

A coalition between Quebec conservatives and liberals is rumored.

Yellow fever is increasing in the south, but the death rate is low.

The Toronto board of control voted \$500 for Manitoba fire sufferers.

The Fort William strike of C. P. R. freight men has been settled.

Japan will take part only in a general conference on the seal question.

In a tax riot at Rome six policemen were injured and one rioter was killed.

Dr. Patrick will be a candidate for the Territorial legislature in Yorkton.

The post office department has ordered a census of the newspapers of Canada.

Ras Makon Nerk, the Abyssinian general, was killed in battle with the Somalis.

Toronto will likely vote \$2,500 for relief of fire sufferers in Prescott and Russell.

The government has appropriated \$5,000 for the Russell and Prescott fire sufferers.

Secretary Sherman has replied to Lord Salisbury's declaration of a sealing conference.

Henry Barr was nominated for the Ontario legislature by North Renfrew liberals.

M. Maertens, a Russian, has been chosen umpire in the British-Venezuelan boundary dispute.

Minnesota lumbermen have a scheme for a canal from the Lake of the Woods to Winnipeg.

The Dominion government contemplates planting timber belts in Manitoba and the Territories.

Canadian agricultural implements took second and third prizes in the world competition in Norway.

The international convention of the brotherhood of St. Andrew will open in Buffalo on Thursday.

The banquet to Hon. Mr. Blair at St. John, N. B., last night was a great affair. He said nothing new.

A motion for a new trial in the Tarte-Greiner case has been refused and the defendant will be sentenced to-day.

The exports of British goods to Canada have decreased greatly while imports have increased during the last nine months.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN FALL SHOW

Thursday, Oct. 14th.

Anything but fine weather for fall show. Exhibits of roots and grains would be hard to beat. Ladies' work was not as large an assortment as last year but still was very good. In live stock cattle were few as also sheep, pigs and poultry. Horses were a good exhibit in number and quality. Races and sports were not what we would have liked owing to weather. Edmonton's favorite, Blackthorn, was as usual the favorite trotting horse. There were about 400 people present.

The three minute trot was won by J. Mitchell, South Edmonton; the farmers by Scammon, of South Edmonton; the open trot by M. McCauley's Blackthorn; the quarter mile race by Logan's Black, of Beaver lake; the half mile and mile by J. Larose, of South Edmonton.

TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

One car oil.
One car lumber.
One car effects.
Three way cars.

LOCAL.

TRAIN one hour late at Red Deer.

The weather has turned fine again.

NORTH-WEST assembly is called for Oct. 25th.

JUDGE SCOTT arrived on Thursday's train to hold court.

A SPECIAL train loaded with ties came in last night and went out this morning.

A LITTLE damp snow fell on Tuesday night which would help to keep down fires.

The Benoit & McKay dredge is expected to be ready for putting in the new machinery to-day.

NIGHT sittings of the court will be held to-night and to-morrow night in the Council chamber.

The brickwork on Humberstone & Moran's new building, which was suspended for some days on account of a lack of lime, is again in progress.

REV. JOHN McDougall and Mrs. McDougall arrived on Tuesday from Morley, having driven in from there. They left for the Landing on Wednesday.

THE caisson for the centre pier of the bridge is being built. Good progress has been made by Brindley's mining dredge in clearing the site for the centre pier.

A SUBSCRIPTION list was being circulated in town on Tuesday to aid T. Rooney, a settler on the south side, whose stacks were recently destroyed by a threshing fire.

"SHOR" the Athabasca pilot, came in from McMurray yesterday. He guided the first Chicago party down the rapids. He intends to go down the Athabasca nearly to Grand Rapids to winter.

A TEST of the gravel taken up by the dredge employed in clearing through for the middle pier of the bridge showed a very large prospect of platinum and a moderate showing of gold. This is the first attempt at prospecting for gold in the bed of the river.

LOUIS CELLHOUT, of Peace river, formerly of St. Albert, recently came through Lesser Slave lake port to Fort Assiniboine in five days. He returned on Monday of last week in company with W. J. O. Bouchier, who is making a trip to Peace river.

MESSRS. Jas. Goodridge, Sprenger, Turnbull and Lemire Goodridge, returned on Tuesday from a shooting trip to the Vermilion about 125 miles east of here. Water fowl were going south in large numbers and very few alighting. Messrs. Rutten and

Senate Reading Room

LACOMBE fall fair took place on Tuesday and Wednesday Oct. 5 and 6th.

Do you want to hear what geologists say about the Northwest, gold-fields? Then buy a ticket for the lecture to-night.

MR. PETERSEN returned from the Landing to-day where he was the guest of Bishop Young, having had a successful and enjoyable trip. He preached to a large congregation on Sunday. W. Blyth, of the N. W. M. P., accompanied him on his trip.

A NEW subscriber to the BULLETIN who is interested in one of the Yukon parties and who subscribed in order to keep posted on the progress of the party writes on the Yukon paper has been arriving regularly and I am very much pleased to find it all I had hoped.

THE Victoria Colonist suggests that miners, licenses should be made procurable at Winnipeg, Edmonton, Kamloops, Vancouver, Westminster, Victoria and Nanaimo besides points in the Yukon. The suggestion is a good one. Speaking for Edmonton certainly the number of persons who have started from Edmonton should be full warrant for outfitting the Edmonton land office with all information necessary for the guidance of prospectors in the Yukon.

M. McKINNON arrived on Thursday to look after the shipment of cattle recently purchased for the English market for Gordon & Ironside. He will ship 275 head from Wetaskiwin. Six hundred head purchased at Pine River, east of Innisfail, are being driven to Strathmore on the main line of the C. P. R. east of Calgary for shipment. He shipped 100 head from Olds on Sept. 28th. Mr. McKinnon says that there are very good sized bunches of cattle available for export at all the stations along the C. & E. line.

THE largest proportion of scrabs are found in the Edmonton district. This is a fault that the farmers are now in a good position to begin to remedy and should receive their attention.

W. A. FOOTE of the Duluth party of Yukon excursionists returned from Fort Chipewyan to-day. The boats of the two Duluth parties took eastward from the mouth of the Athabasca river and one was ten and the other fourteen days before reaching Chipewyan. Mr. Foote reports that five parties: Segers & Hardisty, Stephen & Howe, W. J. Graham and two others, probably the Jenner & Connors parties had taken the Hudson's Bay steamer from Fort Smith to Providence across Great Slave lake. The river was very low, and the first Chicago party was met about 100 miles below McMurray. The two last were only 25 and 35 miles from the Landing respectively.

BERNARD LANGFORD, who lately returned from the north with Nagle & Hislop's men, was terribly injured by breaking his back on Friday last. He was driving E. J. Carter's water cart and attempted to enter the door of Jackson & Grierson's stable without alighting, not noticing that the door was too low to allow anyone sitting on the cart to pass under. He saw his danger when too late and tried to stop forward but the top of the door caught him across the shoulders wedging him between the cart and sill. Before the horses could be stopped they pulled a second time when an employee of the stable saw the trouble and ran then back and the unfortunate driver fell from his seat. He was immediately taken to the hospital and put in the care of Drs. Wilson and Harrison. Strange to say, though the back is broken the patient has never been insensible or paralyzed, and although at times suffering greatly from pains through his body, he is much easier than could be deemed possible under the circumstances. He is an English boy about 30 years old and came here two years ago from Qu'Appelle station, where his brother was living. The other members of the family are in England.

W. D. ADAMS returned a week ago last Tuesday from the Landing where he had gone to take out the boat and outfit of Messrs. Sejersted, Falkenberg and Mohan, of the Chicago party. The boat, being a very large one, was somewhat strained and racked in transport. A few days before Mr. Adams arrived at the Landing pilot Savoyard, of the mission steamer which plies on the Mackenzie river, had reached there from the north bringing news of the different parties bound for the Yukon by the water route, whom he had met on his journey. The first party met was Jas. Shands, of the Mackenzie river. They were well on their journey and doing well. The next outfit met was Pilon and Lamoureux also on the Mackenzie and making good time. Stephen and Howe's party was next met. They had crossed the Great Slave lake in safety and were well on their journey down the Mackenzie. Capt. Segers' party, who were a day behind Stephen and Howe when met by Nagle's boatmen, had taken the steamer from Fort Smith to Fort Simpson, with all their outfit on board, thereby crossing Slave lake in safety and getting a start of about two hundred miles on their journey down the Mackenzie. All the parties were in good health and spirits. Sejersted and his companions had not started from the Landing when Mr. Adams left there to return.

NEW ELEVATORS.

A. P. Campbell of the Dominion Elevator Co. returned from a trip along the C. & E. line to-day. His company has decided to erect elevators at Red Deer and Leduc of about 12,000 bushels capacity each. They will probably erect a third at a point not yet decided on.

The Manitoba Elevator Co. which Mr. Thompson, who recently visited the district represented, will put up a 35,000 bushel elevator in South Edmonton in time to handle this season's crop.

IMMIGRATION.

W. F. McCrory, Dominion commissioner of Immigration and Frank Pedley, inspector of immigration agencies arrived on Monday's train to look over the situation in the Edmonton district. Mr. McCrory is confident that the preliminary work done by the department this season will give ample results next season. He is more than surprised and delighted with the Edmonton district. Where he says, in a new settlement can you find such a uniformity of good houses as in the settlements near Edmonton?

Mr. McCrory is an energetic man and expects energetic work on the part of his subordinates. They must work, he says, for the accommodation of immigrants, not merely to draw salary. Messrs. McCrory and Pedley inspected the South Edmonton land office and immigration sheds on Tuesday forenoon, drove to St. Albert on Tuesday afternoon and went to Fort Saskatchewan.

G. H. YOUNG, customs commissioner, is in town.

INNISFAIL fall fair took place on Tuesday Oct. 7th.

D. EVANS will open a flour and feed store in the building formerly occupied by Sutter & Dunlop.

MRS. MARIAGGI, of Fort Saskatchewan, received a letter last week from her husband, who left here in June in company with Messrs. Apoux and Berland bound for Dawson by the coast route. The letter was written from Lake Bennett under date of Sept. 16th, and stated that he and his party had succeeded in getting through the passes in safety and expected to reach Dawson in ten or twelve days. They had passed Louis Conture and party a few days before reaching Lake Bennett.

SUPREME COURT.

Court opened on Tuesday. The day was taken up in the consideration of chamber applications and motions and in fixing dates for the various civil cases. The only criminal case was taken up on Wednesday. Court will sit for ten days, and will then be adjourned, to sit again in November. It is probable that arrangements will be made whereby Edmonton will hereafter have the benefit of the presence of one or other of the two judges at least once a month to deal with chamber applications and summary matters.

MURDER CASE.

The case of the Queen vs. L. Champagne or "Muskego," a Cree Indian charged with having murdered Emma otherwise known as "Little Duck" on the 14th of July last was opened on Wednesday before Mr. Justice Scott.

N. D. Beck, Q. C., acting for the crown and H. C. Taylor for the prisoner. The following jury was empanelled: J. McNamara, L. Kelly, G. W. R. Almon, P. Byrnes, L. Brunelle, and J. W. Kelly. The defence challenged J. D. Clarke, J. F. McNamara, S. A. Bentley, Thos. Cairns, W. D. Jarvis, and J. Looby.

The first witness called for the prosecution was Therese, Stepmother of the deceased.

W. Rowland acted as interpreter. The evidence of Therese occupied all Wednesday afternoon. The trial is still in progress.

The United States revenue cutters, Rush and Curwin, have been ordered to St. Michael's, at the mouth of the Yukon, to keep order amongst the disorderly elements which have been stranded there in their rush to the Yukon by the failure of the steamers to connect.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

One hundred dollars advertising the Lecture on the North-West to-night.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTH WEST TERRITORIES, NORTHERN ALBERTA JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Estate of Louis Bolduc, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Hon.orable Mr. Justice Scott, dated the 22nd day of September, 1897, the creditors of the above named deceased are directed to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Advocates, if any, to Messrs. Beck & Emery, of Edmonton, Alberta, Advocates for the Administrator of the estate of the above named deceased, and if such claims are secured the nature and amount of the security with the valuation thereof (the amount of said debts, claims or securities to be verified by affidavit) on or before the 11th day of November, 1897.

And take notice that after the 11th day of November, 1897, the said administrator will proceed to deal with the assets of the said deceased, having reference only to the claims of which he has received notice.

Dated at Edmonton this 22nd day of September, 1897.

BECK & EMERY,

Advocates for the Administrator.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, OCTOBER 14TH, 1897

A WAGON ROAD POLICY.

Not the least value to this locality of the Yukon excitement is that whereas until recently Edmonton was, if heard of at all, supposed to be situated at the back door or jumping off place, beyond which the traveller or prospector entered illimitable obscurity, now it is a recognized starting point or front door to the most talked of and desired region on the earth's surface. The climate of Edmonton has therein undergone a change in the estimation of the general public equal to thousands of miles of latitude. Indeed the whole Northwest has been measurably benefitted in the same way. The removal of this unwarranted and unreasonable prejudice against the geographical situation of Edmonton will beyond question have a great effect on the progress of the district in the near future. The resources are so rich and varied that they cannot but appeal to the reason of anyone. But they were powerless against the prejudice which the Yukon excitement has shaken so effectually. When the Edmonton district can be placed before the world, not only as a starting point, but also as the chief base of agricultural supplies for the Yukon, then and only then will its proper position have been attained. This productive pastoral and agricultural country of Alberta lying along the eastern base of the Rocky Mountains is the natural source of food supply for the rich mineral region comprised in the Gold range of mountains lying immediately along the west side of the Rockies and extending from the international boundary to the Arctic Ocean, comprising a succession of gold as well as silver, copper and lead bearing areas the like of which is not found anywhere else in the world for either extent or richness, beginning with Kootenay and ending with Yukon, with Cariboo, Omenica and Cassiar between. It is a fact that the whole of that vast mineral field is supplied with the great bulk of its requirements in agricultural produce from the United States hundreds of miles to the south of the boundary instead of from the almost adjoining fields and pastures of Alberta. The Crow's Nest Pass railway will remedy this condition of affairs to some extent in regard to Kootenay, but Cariboo, Omenica, Cassiar and Yukon remain in the same position. Not only so but the development of all these regions is held back because of the high cost of agricultural products occasioned by the necessary transportation charges from the States and the impracticability of transporting from Alberta. A vigorous wagon road policy is needed in order to permit development that will justify future railway construction. A road is needed to Cariboo direct through the Jasper pass, and another to Peace river to give easy access to the Omenica mines by the addition of steamboat communication on the Peace. The road to Peace river would be the first section of a road to the Cassiar and the Yukon as well, and would open up the vast agricultural and pastoral areas of the Peace river country. No public work that could be undertaken by the Dominion at the present time would be as far reaching in its effects for the money expended as the construction of a good wagon road to Peace river.

TO PEEL RIVER BY CANOE.

S. N. Malterner left Athabasca Landing alone in a canoe on May 2nd, '95, bound for Peel river to see the midnight sun. Reached Grand rapids on the 6th. From head of Grand rapids to head of delta of Athabasca river he accompanied a Hudson's Bay Co's party which was in charge of Capt. Segers, taking passage on their scow. Left scow at head of Embarras fork of delta on May 11th, to shoot waders. Reached Lake Athabasca on 13th. Held up by ice until 15th when he reached Chipewyan. Waited four days for lake to clear of ice and reached Smith Landing on the 23rd. Reached Resolution May 30th. Ice on Great Slave lake still firm. Started along south shore on ice. On June 5th was held up by ice shifting and lost five days. Passed Big Buffalo river on June 11th and met a party of Indians in canoes. Passed Big Island on June 14th and reached

Providence on 16th, Simpson on 18th, Wrigley on 22nd, Norman on 26th, Good Hope on 29th, Peel river on July 5th, and Fort Macpherson on July 6th, 64 days from the Landing, of which 13 days were delay on account of ice, eight days at Lake Athabasca and five days on Great Slave lake. It will be noticed that Lake Athabasca cleared of ice on May 19th, and Great Slave lake was navigable on June 11th, which is much earlier than has been generally represented.

Coming up the river he took the Hudson's Bay Co. steamer. Left Macpherson on the Wrigley on July 15th. Reached Good Hope on the 17th, Norman on 18th, Wrigley on 19th, Simpson on the 20th, Providence on the 25th, Fort Rae on the 26th, Resolution on the 27th and Fort Smith on the 28th. Crossed over the 16 mile portage at Smith and took passage on the Hudson's Bay steamer Graham on August 1st. Reached Chipewyan on August 4th, and McMurray on the 7th. Left the Graham and ascended the river to Grand rapids in Hudson Bay Co. row boats, reaching there on the 14th. Left Grand rapids on the Hudson Bay Co. steamer Athabasca on the 17th and reached Athabasca Landing on the 25th and Edmonton on the 27th of August.

The up trip by steamer and row boat, took 43 days, including a day's travel out of the direct course to Fort Rae and four days awaiting the Athabasca at the Grand Rapids.

At Peel river the sun is visible all night from the 7th to the 13th of July.

THE HAMILTON PARTY.

James Devine, of the Hamilton party of Yukon prospectors, has returned to Hamilton. The Spectator gives a very full interview with him in which he gives the same account of the accident as published in the BULLETIN. The Spectator says:

The returned Klondiker says that it is entirely unnecessary for people leaving here by the Athabasca route to take their provisions. They can be bought cheaper in Edmonton. The building of boats down here, he says, is a farce. The cost of transporting the boats to Edmonton would be much more than they were worth there, and the portage from Edmonton to the Landing would rack them all to pieces. More than this, he says the boats built here are not at all suitable for the trip.

The Hamilton man says the Indians and half-breeds are as honest as the day, and can be trusted with anything. Mr. Woods says this year is the first year in his recollection when anything was reported as stolen, and in those cases the stealing was done by white men.

The Hamilton party were most cordially received and well treated by F. H. Sache, of Edmonton, a brother of Harry Sache, who is running Hunter's bicycle works in this city. In fact, everywhere along their journey they were received and treated with the utmost kindness by everyone.

They found that practically everything needed was procurable at Edmonton at about the same cost as in Hamilton. They all spoke very highly of the kindness shown by W. L. Wood, in charge of the H. B. Co's post at Athabasca Landing.

A HARD ROAD.

J. C. Brown, of Butte, Mont., who has been over the Skagway trail recently said to the Seattle Times: There has been a great deal said and done to devise a route for entering the Yukon gold fields, and to my mind it is a demonstrated fact that the route by Skagway or Dyea is an impracticable one for any body or quantity of men at one time. The last rush to those points has practically demonstrated this fact with death to the human family and horses, and the hardships therein incurred. I have had the pleasure of passing over the route myself, and I found it in no sense of the term easy with only twenty-five pounds on my back. Timber is and lumber is becoming scarce; boats sold as high as \$500 to \$1,000 in the last rush and the trails in passing through the lakes and many rapids before entering the Yukon are dangerous to both life and property.

EDMONTON TO KLONDIKE.

Montreal Star: Mr. J. B. Powell, manager and chief engineer of the Great Commonwealth Development and Mining Company, of Nelson, B. C., is in Montreal, and had an interview at the Windsor this morning with Hon. A. G. Blair, minister of railways and canals, with reference to an all-Canadian over-land route to the Klondike from Edmonton. Mr. Powell represents a number of well-known English, American and Canadian capitalists, and has come east to consult the Dominion government as to federal aid for the prosecution of the enterprise.

Calgary Herald—"The Edmonton BULLETIN is preparing to follow the Herald's lead and will issue a special edition on the routes from Calgary to the Klondike." An editor who would print the above is dishonest as well as fool enough to buy gilt bricks.

Snow occurred near Winnipeg on Oct. 8th.

YORKTON ELECTION.

The BULLETIN has received a copy of the election address of Dr. T. A. Patrick, of Yorkton, Assa., who is a candidate for the seat in the Northwest assembly lately held by R. F. Insinger. Mr. Insinger has resigned his seat to reside in Spokane, Washington. Dr. Patrick announces himself as having been a loyal supporter of Mr. Insinger in the constituency and of Mr. Haultain, as leader of the government. He supports Messrs. Haultain and Ross in conducting the Northwest government on lines aside from Dominion politics. He is opposed to the introduction of municipalities, and to "reckless bonusing and borrowing." The coming session is important in that the ordinances are to be revised and therefore there will not only be new legislation to consider but all past legislation to review. The executive is hereafter to be held responsible for legislation as well as administration. Should Dr. Patrick be elected as it is to be hoped, and is very likely, he will be a worthy successor of Mr. Insinger, who was one of the most valuable members of the house. Dr. Patrick has given the best proof of loyalty to sound principles. He was a candidate at the time of Mr. Insinger's first election, but to ensure the triumph of the principles in which he believed he stood aside and worked manfully for the election of Mr. Insinger. When the next election come around, there had been a distribution of seats which did not leave an opening for him and he again gave his full support to Mr. Insinger, who was elected by acclamation. It is not usual to find men of the acknowledged ability of Dr. Patrick so ready to efface themselves for the good of the cause in which they believe; but he having given this proof of his loyalty to sound principles is entitled to all the stronger support now that it is his turn to be the standard bearer.

INTERIOR B. C. ROUTE.

The Kamloops Sentinel is busily advocating a route to the Yukon from Kamloops to Barkerville in Cariboo, on to Hazelton on the Skeena, to Telegraph Creek on the Stickeen and so on to Teslin lake the head of the Hootalinqua branch of the Lewes. The Spokesman-Review mentions the outfitting of a party conducted by one Arthur Jordan, of Sandon, in Spokane to take the interior British Columbia route. At the same time a resident of Barkerville, Cariboo district, B. C., writes to the Seattle Post Intelligencer his opinion of that route as follows:

The plan of Arthur Jordan, of Sandon, B. C., who advertises to take a party of prospectors from Ashcroft, B. C., to Klondike in sixty days, has caused a good deal of bitter talk here and remarks to the effect that people should be warned against taking the trip this fall. The trail is open and good most of the way from Quesnelle to Hazelton, but from Hazelton to Telegraph Creek the old telegraph trail has been unused for many years and is absolutely impassable for pack trains until thousands of dollars worth of work has been done upon it. No move has yet been made by the government or individuals to cut out this portion of the route, but it is supposed that the authorities will have the work done before the middle of next summer. Now, as to living on the country, it is not practicable for a party to do so, and it would be folly to attempt the trip without ample supplies. Fish are plentiful, but game is scarce; from Quesnelle north for 300 miles there is practically no game along the trail, not even grouse or rabbits. It is not possible for a large party starting now without dogs to get through to Klondike before next August, and as a quick and easy route, it is simply idiotic to start this fall. Parties intending to take this route should start from Quesnelle not earlier than the latter part of May as the grass will be too short for feed before that time.

EXHAUSTLESS WEALTH.

W. Ogilvie said recently in a newspaper interview that one hundred claims on Bonanza and forty on Eldorado will yield, before they are exhausted, something like \$60,000,000. But in addition to those a vast unexplored region awaits the hardy miner, and Mr. Ogilvie fully expects that equally rich returns may be looked for from it. He estimates that the greater portion of work will be done within the next ten years; but, he says, there is every indication that placer mining will be carried on, presumably on a high-paying basis, for at least twenty years. And all this, be it remembered, without touching the quartz mining, which is sure to succeed the hydraulic operations.

An Ottawa despatch says that Lieutenant-Governor Mackintosh will resign on Jan 1st, '98.

A returned Klondiker who left Dawson on Aug. 26th, told the Victoria Colonist that when he was going in, having started from Dyea on April 13th last, packing cost 35 cents a pound over the Chilkoit pass and boats cost \$100 at Lake Lindeman. When he was coming out the cost had jumped to \$500. He estimates from \$3,000,000 to \$10,000,000 as the output of gold from the Klondike during the coming winter, and thinks the danger of starvation is over.

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The following list will give you an idea of what it will cost to outfit one man for a year, and includes almost everything that would be required. The prices could be made either higher or lower, but this is a fair average:

4 Sacks Flour, 98lbs. each,	\$10 00	Brought forward,	\$149 87
20lbs Corn Meal,	70	Buttons, Needles and Thread,	25
40lbs Rolled Oats,	1 30	1 Camp Cook Stove,	5 00
25lbs I. Rice,	1 75	1 Gold Pan,	75
100lbs Beans,	4 50	4 Knife and Fork,	15
75lbs G. Sugar,	4 87	2 Spoons,	5
75lbs Evap. Apricots, Peaches, and Apples,	10 25	1 Large Granite Spoon,	15
6 Pkgs Yeast Cakes,	50	1 Large Fork,	10
20lbs Candles,	3 00	1 Granite Cup,	15
150lbs bacon,	16 50	1 Granite Plate,	15
25lbs Butter,	3 75	1 Whet Stone,	10
10lbs Baking Powder,	2 50	1 Pick and handle,	1 25
3 Pkgs Soda,	30	1 Hatchet and handle,	75
20lbs Salt,	40	1 Axe and Handle,	1 25
1lb pepper,	25	1 Whip Saw,	9 00
1lb Mustard,	25	1 X Cut Saw,	3 50
1lb G. Ginger,	25	1 Hand Saw,	1 00
10 Pkgs Evap. Vegetables,	2 00	1 L. H. Shovel,	1 00
2 Doz. Cond. Milk,	4 50	20 Lb. Nails,	1 00
10lbs Tea,	4 00	2 Files,	40
25lbs Coffee,	10 00	1 Draw Knife,	75
Laundry Soap,	1 00	1 Plane,	90
Matches,	80	Brace and Bits,	2 00
Evap. Potatoes and Onions,	4 00	3 Chisels,	75
2 Pair Heavy Blankets,	14 00	1 Butcher Knife,	25
2 Suits Underwear,	5 00	1 Compass,	50
2 Cottonade Shirts,	1 50	Rope,	1 50
2 Sweaters,	3 00	1 Fry Pan,	25
1 Heavy Suit,	7 50	1 Hammer,	50
1 Pair Pants,	2 00	1 Auger,	65
1 Pair Overalls,	1 25	1 Bake Kettle,	1 50
1 Mackinaw Suit,	10 00	1 Best Copper Kettles,	6 00
2 Pair Arctic Sox,	1 50	1 Steel Pail,	75
6 Pair Wool Sox,	1 50	1 Granite Wash Basin,	40
2 Pair Mitts,	1 00	1 Candle Lantern,	35
2 Pair Mocassins,	3 00	1 Lb. Quick Silver,	90
3 Towels,	75	1 Pair Goggles,	25
1 Pair Rubber Boots, hip,	5 00	1 Cankling Iron,	1 00
1 Pair Laced Boots, Miner's,	5 00	10 Lbs. Pitch,	75
Mosquito Net,	50	15 Lbs. Oakum,	2 00
		Sundries,	2 18
	\$149 87		\$200 00

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OUTFITTERS FOR THE YUKON AND THE GOLD REGIONS OF THE NORTH.

NORTHWEST EXECUTIVE.

Regina Leader, October 7th.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Mackintosh has invited Mr. F. W. G. Haultain to form an executive council, and that gentleman has accepted the duty. The council as formed will comprise:—

Hon. F. W. G. Haultain, of MacLeod;
Hon. J. H. Ross, of Moose Jaw;
Hon. H. Mitchell, of Mitchell;
Hon. C. A. Magrath, of Lethbridge;
Hon. G. H. V. Bulgea, of South Qu' Appelle.

The premier was sworn in this morning. His colleagues will be sworn in this evening. The last three will be members of the council without portfolio. It is expected that Hon. Mr. Haultain will be attorney-general and Territorial treasurer, and that Hon. Mr. Ross will be commissioner of public works and Territorial secretary. Five legislative seats are vacant, the members of the new executive all having resigned; and writs are issued for by-elections. Nomination day will be about 26th Oct. and election day one week later.

A sixth by-election will be held in Yorkton on same date. Mr. Insigner having resigned that seat. He is at present located at Spokane, and has decided to not return to the Northwest.

Mr. Insigner's resignation is no light loss to the assembly. He was a particularly able and thoroughly capable man, and regret is a term too mild to express the feeling of his fellow members over his decision to leave the country. It is expected that Dr. Patrick, of Yorkton, will offer for the vacant seat.

PRINCE ALBERT HEARD FROM.

The Prince Albert Advocate has an article drawing attention to the route to the MacKenzie from that town and making comparisons unfavorable to the Edmonton route. One of its objections to the Edmonton route is the "Smith rapids." These rapids happen to be below the junction of the proposed route of the Advocate and the Edmonton route and are therefore common to that as well as the Edmonton route. The fact that the proposed Prince Albert route was used for many years by the Hudson's Bay Company to reach the MacKenzie river and was finally given up in favor of the Edmonton route, should be sufficient to settle the question of the suitability of the respective routes. A party leaving Edmonton can reach McMurray, the point of junction, in ten days having had 90 miles of wagon road and half a mile of portaging, all the water distance being down stream. By the Green lake route there would be 140 miles of wagon road to begin with, at least 100 miles of up stream navigation and one portage of twelve miles, besides at least 100 miles of down stream navigation on the Beaver and Clearwater rivers, the latter being dangerous from the existence of rapids. As to a comparison between the two routes there simply isn't any. That is why thousands of tons of freight go over the one and not a pound goes over the other.

LACOMBE FAIR.

R. A. Lister, of Dursley, England who is interested in the manufacture of the Alexandra cream separator, visited the Lacombe agricultural exhibition on October 6th, where he delivered an interesting address:

He said that he was proud of having the privilege of addressing such an audience of pioneers of a country which is destined in the near future to supply the population of the old country with a large proportion of the necessities of life. He spoke very highly of Alberta as a country admirably adapted for mixed farming and dairying on a large scale, and was pleased that he had extended his visit so far west of Winnipeg. He said that people in the old country had no conception whatever as to the extent of this western country nor of the great natural advantages offered to the farmers who settle here until they see it; and there is no better time for witnessing its great possibilities than in the autumn and at a fair where the very best kind of produce is exhibited. In regard to the creamery movement Mr. Lister said: What a noble, useful and enterprising work the Dominion department of Agriculture are doing for the farmers of the Northwest Territories, a work which no other government has ever undertaken. On the same practical lines, it combines all the best features of assisting a deserving and industrious population by giving them a great object lesson in the making, storing and marketing of one of the most universally used necessities of life, butter. The success of this movement rests in the hands of the Northwest farmers, they must supply cream in a sufficient quantity and of good quality. So far as I can see there is nothing to prevent them doing this excepting the lack of determination. You have in Prof. Robertson, who is the leading spirit in this business, a man of great ideas, possessing the ability and industry to carry them into effect. You know something of his work here but I question if you can as yet fully realize what he has done in the Old country towards securing the best markets for Canadian produce. He is assisted by as loyal and devoted a set of assistants as it has been my pleasure to meet; they all seem to act as if the country belonged to them individually, not only loyal

to this chief, but also to their country.

As soon as the farmers of the Northwest territories take up in earnest mixed farming they will find that the markets are practically unlimited and that butter making is only one branch of the work. Several others follow in its wake, as raising hogs, young stock and poultry each and all of these would add to the prosperity of the individual farmers and the country at large.

In conclusion Mr. Lister could not but congratulate the settlers in Alberta on the progress which had been made in a comparatively short space of time and trust that they may reap the rewards to which industrious people are entitled, happiness and prosperity. "Thou livest brother, Oh forget it not, under the law, the blessed law of toil; and this fair country which thou inhabitest is the almighty workshop. Play the man, if happiness or honor thou wouldst gain."

FURS.

Jas. McMillan & Co.'s fur circular of October, 1st, says: Receipts are next to nothing, last year's catch having been sold long ago, and the new collection not yet having begun to be received. The fur manufacturers are busy making garments for the coming season and we are sorry to say that they are using mostly cheap foreign and but few American furs; but it is hoped that with general business more prosperous American furs will again come into fashion and there will be more sale for them. We have already had a good many inquiries in regard to the prospects and prices for furs during the coming season. We do not give any fur quotations in this circular because we want to discourage early trapping while the weather is warm and the furs nearly worthless, and we do not want to see the animals wantonly destroyed. About the only kinds of furs that are of any value if caught the latter part of this month are Beaver, Bear, Muskrat and Skunk, and even these will grade No. 2 and 3, while if caught later in the season they would grade No. 1. Skunk are prime before any other kind. October Muskrat will all class as fall. Bear caught in the summer and early fall as a general thing are not worth much more than the express charges. Until the season for prime fur arrives, for what scattering shipments we receive we shall pay the prices which ruled at the close of last season. Ship furs by express.

MANAWAN.

Honor roll for the month of October of Manawan school district, No. 382.

III class—Lynn Batty, Ellen Whitford.

II class—Frances Newall, Tenie Monkman, Maggie Whitford.

Senior I class—Annie Whitford, Nancy Pruden.

Junior I class—Homer Batty, Geo. Cinnamon, Bessie Newall, Lizzie Whitford.

K. E. Easton teacher.

HEATHER BRAE.

All the residents of the district turned out last Saturday and built stabling at the school. A meeting was held the same day at the school house in reference to the road to Wetaskiwin, and a committee consisting of Messrs. Deverill, Crawford and Wabel were appointed to attend to it and see what can be done to get the trail put in shape so it can be travelled with safety and a reasonable load.

Good men are always in demand. Mr. Burk has been sent from Edmonton to accompany a party to the north on the Mackenzie. Mr. Burk has made one trip to the far north.

Our school is prospering and our teacher has commenced to build a house for himself on his claim.

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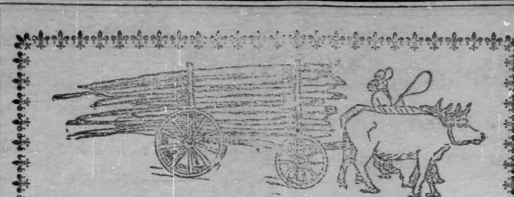
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NOTICE.

Take notice that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as dyers, etc., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the firm must be paid to the undersigned Mayerhofer, who will pay all liabilities thereof.

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(Signed) JOSEPH BIRCHNER,
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LAND TITLES ACT 1894.

MORTGAGE SALE OF VALUABLE

Farm Property!

QUAIL, VA. FOISET.

Pursuant to the order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Rouleau made herein the 13th day of September, 1897, there will be offered for sale at public auction at the Federal Hall, in the Town of Edmonton, on Friday, the 22nd day of October, 1897, at 2.30 p. m., by W. S. Robertson, auctioneer, the following property, namely:

The Northwest quarter of Section 14, Township 55, Range 23, west of the Fourth Meridian, containing 100 acres.

The above property may be otherwise known as the farm of Alphonse Foley, and is situated at a convenient distance from schools and markets.

TERMS: 25 per cent. of purchase money down on date of sale, balance into cash within fourteen days.

Further terms and conditions will be made known on date of sale, or on application to

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LAND TITLES ACT, 1894.

MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

Town Property.

Dominion Building & Loan-Association vs. Round.

Pursuant to the order made by the Honorable Mr. Justice Rouleau herein the 13th day of September, 1897, there will be offered for sale at public auction on Friday, the 22nd day of October, 1897, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., at the Robertson Hall, in the Town of Edmonton, by Walter Scott Robertson, auctioneer, the following property, namely:

Lot numbered 57 to 60, both inclusive, in Block 6, Plan B, Hudson's Bay Company's Reserve, Edmonton.

The above property may be otherwise known as the residence of Mr. H. B. Round and comprises a commodious and comfortable dwelling house. Lots 57 and 58 on which is situated the dwelling house and outbuildings, will be put up in one parcel, and the other lots will be put up separately.

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Queen's—N. Millette, F. W. Keegan, J. Lamoureux, Fort Saskatchewan; Geo. Gagnon, W. C. St. Albert; J. C. C. Bremner, Clover Bar; E. Eberhardt, Stony Plain; A. C. Rutherford, South Edmonton.

Jasper—James Moore, Iowa City; John James, H. T. McDooy, Kansas City; J. F. Clutter, Ottumwa; Chas. McCallum, Geo. G. Fraser, J. C. Fraser, Clover Bar; Simon Borwick, St. Albert.

FREIGHT RATES.

A Prince Albert merchant recently decided to avail himself of the privilege of importing oil in tank cars. To do this to advantage it was necessary for him to build an expensive stationary tank to hold the oil in bulk. Before incurring the expense he made certain enquiries which resulted in his discovering that he would have to pay the railway company for the return of the empty tank car from Prince Albert, although such cars are returned free by the company from Winnipeg. He also found that the charge for hauling oil for 1,450 miles from Petrolia to Winnipeg was 75c per 100, and that the charge through to Prince Albert was \$1.55 or a charge of 80c for a haul of 600 miles in the Territories as against a charge of 75c for a haul of 1,450 miles outside the Territories. Who says that competition does not compete, or that the Territories do not need a new deal in railway matters!

COUNCIL MEETING.

A regular meeting of the council was held last night and the following business transacted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

G. H. L. Bossange, re dogs.
Gardner & Harrison, re special correspondents.
Louis Normandeau, re route to Yukon.

The mayor and councillors Hourston and Gariepy were appointed a committee to wait on Chevalier Drole to discuss with him the suggestions made in communication received from Louis Normandeau.

The clerk was instructed to inform Gardner & Harrison of the steps the town has taken to answer inquiries regarding the Yukon, which they deem sufficient for the present.

The petition of E. M. Smith et al, re lecturing tour on the Northwest was read and the clerk instructed to write C. P. R. asking for a pass for Messrs. E. M. Smith, Embury and Pellard, who intend making a tour through the Eastern States and lower provinces, lecturing on the advantages of the Edmonton district and the Northwest Territories generally as a field for immigration.

The hospital was granted the sum of \$250 towards its support.

Reports of finance and fire, water and light committee were read and filed.

By-law No. 146, re collection of rates was finally passed and the meeting adjourned.

BOWDEN.

James Skinner left the Eagle Creek school about the middle of September to join the staff of the South Edmonton Plaiddealer. W. T. Gemmell is teaching in his place.

Crops are nearly all stacked and a number of farmers have threshed. Mr. Skinner, of Eagle Creek, threshed 1000 bushels of oats and wheat from 25 acres. Jas. Munro, 800 bushels from about 15 acres, and R. E. West, 1,360 bushels from about 25 acres. Mr. Ross 935 from about 14 acres. This is sufficient testimony to the excellence of the soil here for agricultural purposes.

The crop of potatoes and other vegetables is also excellent in both quantity and quality. Our poor friends and relatives in Ireland who are said to be on the verge of a famine, should find this district congenial at least so far as the "prates" are concerned. There is plenty of first class land unoccupied within a few miles from the station here.

Rev. Mr. Naismith dispensed communion to a large number of communicants on Sabbath last, 3rd inst.

The people of our church propose holding a social on the 15th of Oct. for the purpose of raising funds to finish the work on the church which is still incomplete. An excellent programme is being prepared. Considering the amount of local talent the district boasts of we may fairly expect that the social will be a decided success. No body should miss this opportunity of at one time enjoying a great treat and at the same time helping on the good work.

CHURCH BAZAAR.

A grand bazaar in aid of the building fund of the new St. Joachim's church, is being held in the Taylor block commencing on Tuesday and ending this evening. The attendance has been large and the receipts very satisfactory. The St. Albert mission band under the leadership of Mr. Verrault, is in attendance and adds very greatly to the attractions of the occasion. The window shows a most attractive display of articles to be raffled for and the counters are piled with useful and fancy articles for sale. The rear portion is occupied by the refreshment tables which are continuously replenished and are continually cleared during the appointed hours.

The officers of the ladies committee in charge of the bazaar are: Mrs. S. Larue, president; Mrs. C. Gallagher, vice-president; Mrs. N. D. Beck, secretary; Mrs. John Kelly, treasurer.

The two fancy work tables are attended by Mrs. Beck and Mrs. McNamara and Mrs. Gallagher and Mrs. John Kelly respectively. The confectionery table by Mrs. Deggeudorfer, Miss Pagerie and Miss A. Voyer. The refreshment table by Mrs. Jos. Kelly, Mrs. Roy and Mrs. Voyer. The brae pie most widely attractive to the little boys, by Miss Agnes Cairns and Miss Mary Gallagher.

The principal articles already raffled are: silver tea set, won by Mrs. E. St. Jean, Fort Saskatchewan; \$10 gold piece, Jas. O'Mahoney; large doll, Mrs. Noskei; album, J. C. Kelly; toilet set, Mrs. Deggeudorfer; sofa cushion, F. Mayerhofer; piano scarf, E. Brissette.

A silver water pitcher and a china tea set are the principal articles to be raffled to-night. The contest for a cane presented by C. Gallagher will be concluded to-night. The candidates are S. Larue, canvassed for by Miss Pagerie, and C. Gallagher, canvassed for by Miss Charbonneau.

A vocal and instrumental programme was rendered during each evening. On Tuesday, Misses Voyer and Duplessis gave a vocal duet, Mr. Collins piano. Mr. and Mrs. P. L. McNamara, a piano and violin duet. On Wednesday evening solos were given by Mrs. E. St. Jean, Mrs. Hockley, Mr. Biodeau and Mr. Brissette, a duet by Misses Voyer and Duplessis, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. McNamara gave a piano and violin duet. Mrs. Cann and Miss Thompson, piano.

POLICE PATROL.

Inspt. Snyder, of the police patrol which left Edmonton in July to go to the Jasper House and to Peace river, left Lesser Slave post on Sept. 30th to return to Edmonton overland by way of Fort Assiniboine, Constable Smith, who was one of the party, had cut his foot and came in from Slave lake by water to the Landing and then by wagon to Fort Saskatchewan. Campbell and Brenton reached Slave lake post as already reported on Sept. 15th, and left for Peace river on the 16th. Inspt. Snyder may be expected to arrive any day with news from the police party, which is exploring between the Athabasca and Lesser Slave lake accompanied by T. W. Chalmers, D. L. S.

An Ottawa despatch of Oct. 7th, says the devastation caused by fire in Russell and Prescott counties is far worse than anticipated. The fire swept over three hundred square miles of territory, five lives were lost, 2,000 people rendered homeless, and the damage amounted to hundreds of thousands of dollars. Ottawa city council met this morning and voted \$1,000 for temporary relief. Mayor Bingham sent out telegrams to-day to the mayors of cities in Ontario and Quebec, making an appeal to the charitable disposed public to subscribe generously to the relief fund.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Monday, 11,	Max.	Min.
	42	52	32
	Tuesday, 12,	42	32
	Wednesday, 13,	29	23
	Thursday, 14,	29	20

Barometer reduced to sea level 30.107.
Precipitation 0.06 of an inch.

MARKET REPORT.

Eggs, per dozen,	15c
Butter, fresh,	15c
New potatoes, per bush.	25c
Oats,	30c
Beef, live, per lb.,	24c and 3c
Beef, dressed,	4c and 5c
Hogs, live,	3c and 34c
Hogs, dressed,	44c and 5c
Mutton, live,	24c and 3c
Mutton, dressed,	5c and 54c
Hay,	\$3.00 and \$4.00

THE BULLETIN

During the next six months will make a specialty of securing and publishing information regarding the Yukon and the way to get there. Reports will be received from the several exploring parties sent out by the Canadian government and by the business men of the town respectively. Also from the prospectors now on the way by the several routes. These will be published promptly.

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